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Applicant

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to correspondence from the Office of Petitions bearing a mailing date of October 24, 2006.